

Case No.

*In re. Investigation of election irregularities affecting
Congressional District 9*

Exhibit

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Description: Correspondence to and from Leslie McCrae Dowless, Jr., through his counsel, Cynthia Adams Singletary.



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December 16, 2018

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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Re: Requests in connection with criminal investigation by the State Board of Elections & Ethics Enforcement.

Attorney Singletary:

The State Board of Elections and Ethics Enforcement ("State Board") understands that you presently represent Leslie McCrae Dowless, Jr. in connection with certain his activities alleged to have occurred during the 2018 election cycle and prior election cycles. Those allegations and others are under criminal investigation by the State Board.

The State Board, through counsel, hereby requests that Leslie McCrae Dowless, Jr. make himself available for an interview on or before January 2, 2019. Please communicate your client's decision regarding this request at your earliest opportunity.

No request in this letter is made pursuant to the State Board's statutory authority to compel production and testimony, and the immunizing provisions of G.S. §§ 163A-1391 (fmr. 163-277) and 163A-1447 (fmr.163-278.29) are expressly inapplicable.

The State Board hereby instructs your client, his agents, and assignees to preserve all records associated with elections and/or election-related activities between January 2016 and the present, and to ensure that any computer or electronic device or media that stores such information is preserved and is not disposed of or destroyed. The destruction of any material described herein may constitute spoliation of evidence in a government investigation and obstruction of justice. All electronic correspondence regarding this or related matters should be directed to legal@ncsbe.gov.

Sincerely,

Josh Lawson
General Counsel

From: CASingletary Law Office <office.caslaw@gmail.com>
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December 18, 2018

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL
North Carolina State Board of Elections & Ethics Enforcement
Attn: Mr. Josh Lawson, General Counsel

Dear Mr. Lawson:

Thank you for speaking with me earlier. I am letting you know that I am going to be representing Mr. Leslie McCrae Dowless, Jr. Mr. Dowless declines an interview with the State Board of Elections at this time. Please feel free to call me if you need to discuss anything further.

Very Truly Yours,

LAW OFFICE OF CYNTHIA ADAMS SINGLETARY

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cc: Mr. Leslie McCrae Dowless, Jr.



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